West Virginia Library Commission Culture Center, 1900 Kanawha Blvd., E. Charleston, WV 25305-0620



For Immediate Release, January 16, 2014

## West Virginia State Library Now Offering Zinio for Libraries

CHARLESTON, WV. State Library Services, a division of the West Virginia Library Commission, is now offering digital magazines to the West Virginia Legislature, state employees and the public at large, through an online service called Zinio for Libraries.

Zinio for Libraries offers State Library Services' patrons the latest editions of such magazines as *Newsweek*, *Popular Science*, *Reader's Digest*, *mental\_floss* and more. Patrons can download copies of the latest issue, which they can view on a smartphone, tablet or computer. Internet access and a library card from the West Virginia Library Commission are the only requirements to check out Zinio magazines.

"The Library staff is excited about providing this new service to our patrons," said Heather Campbell Shock, State Library Services Director. "Not everyone can make it into the library during business hours. Zinio for Libraries allows our patrons to read their favorite magazine at their convenience."

Zinio for Libraries is available to State Library Services' patrons via the web portal https://www.rbdigital.com/wvlibrarycommission/service/zinio/landing?

To request a library card, visit the West Virginia State Library in the Culture Center in Charleston, WV, or send your name, address, phone number and email address to State Library Services at <a href="wvl.cref@wv.gov">wvlcref@wv.gov</a>. For information about titles available through State Library Services, see a library staff member, phone (304) 558-2045 or send email to <a href="wvv.gov">wvlcref@wv.gov</a>.

The West Virginia Library Commission serves the people of West Virginia and encourages lifelong learning, individual empowerment, civic engagement and an enriched quality of life by enhancing library and information services for all West Virginians. More information is available at <a href="https://www.librarycommission.wv.gov">www.librarycommission.wv.gov</a>.

Phone: (304) 558-3978, ext. 2010

Fax: (304) 558-1612 www.librarycommission.wv.gov